



State of California - Department of Fish and Wildlife

2026 ENVIRONMENTAL DOCUMENT FILING FEE CASH RECEIPT

DFW 753.5a (REV. 01/01/26) Previously DFG 753.5a

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LEAD AGENCY

MARIN MUNICIPAL WATER DISTRICT

LEAD AGENCY EMAIL

DATE

06/05/2026

COUNTY/STATE AGENCY OF FILING

Marin

DOCUMENT NUMBER

PROJECT TITLE

PUMP STATION FIRE HARDENING PROJECT

PROJECT APPLICANT NAME

MARIN MUNICIPAL WATER DISTRICT

PROJECT APPLICANT EMAIL

PHONE NUMBER

(415)945-1588

PROJECT APPLICANT ADDRESS

220 NELLEN AVE

CITY

STATE

ZIP CODE

CORTE MADERA CA

94925

PROJECT APPLICANT (Check appropriate box)

☒ Local Public Agency☐ School District☐ Other Special District☐ State Agency☐ Private Entity**CHECK APPLICABLE FEES:**☐ Environmental Impact Report (EIR)

\$4,227.50

\$

0.00

☐ Mitigated/Negative Declaration (MND)(ND)

\$3,043.75

\$

0.00

☐ Certified Regulatory Program (CRP) document - payment due directly to CDFW

\$1,437.25

\$

0.00

☒ Exempt from fee☒ Notice of Exemption (attach)☐ CDFW No Effect Determination (attach)☐ Fee previously paid (attach previously issued cash receipt copy)☐ Water Right Application or Petition Fee (State Water Resources Control Board only)

\$850.00

\$

0.00

☒ County documentary handling fee

\$

50.00

☐ Other

\$

PAYMENT METHOD:☐ Cash☐ Credit☒ Check☐ Other

TOTAL RECEIVED

\$

50.00

SIGNATURE

X L. Vawter

AGENCY OF FILING PRINTED NAME AND TITLE

MARIN COUNTY CLERK, L. VAWTER, DEPUTY COUNTY CLERK



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NOTICE

Each project applicant shall remit to the county clerk the environmental document filing fee before or at the time of filing a Notice of Determination (Pub. Resources Code, § 21152; Fish & G. Code, § 711.4, subdivision (d); Cal. Code Regs., tit. 14, § 753.5). Without the appropriate fee, statutory or categorical exemption, or a valid No Effect Determination issued by the California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW), the Notice of Determination is not operative, vested, or final, and shall not be accepted by the county clerk.

COUNTY DOCUMENTARY HANDLING FEE

The county clerk may charge a documentary handling fee of fifty dollars (\$50) per filing in addition to the environmental document filing fee (Fish & G. Code, § 711.4, subd. (e); Cal. Code Regs., tit. 14, § 753.5, subd. (g)(1)). A county board of supervisors shall have the authority to increase or decrease the fee or charge, that is otherwise authorized to be levied by another provision of law, in the amount reasonably necessary to recover the cost of providing any product or service or the cost of enforcing any regulation for which the fee or charge is levied (Gov. Code, § 54985, subd. (a)).

COLLECTION PROCEDURES FOR COUNTY GOVERNMENTS

Filing Notice of Determination (NOD):

- ☐ Collect environmental document filing fee or copy of previously issued cash receipt. *(Do not collect fee if project applicant presents a No Effect Determination signed by CDFW. An additional fee is required for each separate environmental document. An addendum is not considered a separate environmental document. Checks should be made payable to the county.)*
- ☐ Issue environmental document filing fee cash receipt to project applicant.
- ☐ Attach copy of environmental document filing fee cash receipt and, if applicable, previously issued cash receipt, to NOD.
- ☐ Mail environmental document filing fee for CRP document to CDFW prior to filing the NOD or equivalent final approval (Cal. Code Regs. Tit. 14, § 753.5 (b)(5)). The CRP should request receipt from CDFW to show proof of payment for filing the NOD or equivalent approval. Mail payment to address below made attention to the Cash Receipts Unit of the Accounting Services Branch.

If the project applicant presents a **No Effect Determination** signed by CDFW, also:

- ☐ Attach No Effect Determination to NOD *(no environmental document filing fee is due)*.

Filing Notice of Exemption (NOE) *(Statutorily or categorically exempt project (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 14, §§ 15260-15285, 15300-15333))*

- ☐ Issue environmental document filing fee cash receipt to project applicant.
- ☐ Attach copy of environmental document filing fee cash receipt to NOE *(no environmental document filing fee is due)*.

Within 30 days after the end of each month in which the environmental document filing fees are collected, each county shall summarize and record the amount collected on the monthly State of California Form No. CA25 (TC31) and remit the amount collected to the State Treasurer. Identify the remittance on Form No. CA25 as "Environmental Document Filing Fees" per Fish and Game Code section 711.4.

The county clerk shall submit the documents below to CDFW on a monthly basis by mail or CDFW's File Transfer Portal (see below):

- A photocopy of the monthly State of California Form No. CA25 (TC31)
- CDFW/ASB copies of all cash environmental document filing fee cash receipts (including all voided receipts)
- A copy of all CDFW No Effect Determinations filed in lieu of fee payment
- A copy of all NODs and NOEs filed with the county during the preceding month
- A list of the name, address and telephone number of all project applicants for which an NOD and NOE has been filed. If this information is contained on the environmental document filing fee cash receipt filed with CDFW under California Code of Regulations, title 14, section 753.5, subdivision (e)(6), no additional information is required.

DOCUMENT RETENTION

The county shall retain a copy of the environmental document filing fee cash receipt and all documents described above for at least 12 months.

RECEIPT NUMBER

- # The first two digits automatically populate by making the appropriate selection in the County/State Agency of Filing drop down menu.
- # The next eight digits automatically populate when a date is entered.
- # The last three digits correspond with the sequential order of issuance for each calendar year. For example, the first receipt number issued on January 1 should end in 001. If a county issued 252 receipts for the year ending on December 31, the last receipt number should end in 252. CDFW recommends that counties and state agencies 1) save a local copy of this form, and 2) track receipt numbers on a spreadsheet tabbed by month to ensure accuracy.

DO NOT COMBINE THE ENVIRONMENTAL FEES WITH THE STATE SHARE OF FISH AND WILDLIFE FEES.

For access to CDFW's File Transfer Portal, submit email to CEQA@wildlife.ca.gov (Subject line: [County name] FTP account).

Mail to:

California Department of Fish and Wildlife
Accounting Services Branch
P.O. Box 944209
Sacramento, California 94244-2090

Notice of Exemption

21-2026-097



Filing Requested By and When Filed Return To:

Marin Municipal Water District
220 Nellen Ave
Corte Madera, CA 94925
Attn: Alex Anaya, Director of Engineering

Project Title: Pump Station Fire Hardening Project

Project Location: Marin Water - owned lands and easements

Project Location – County: Marin

FILED

JUN 05 2026

SHELLY SCOTT
MARIN COUNTY CLERK
BY: L. VAWTER Deputy

Project Description: The Pump Station Fire Hardening Project consists of defensible space and vegetation management improvements at 59 pump station sites throughout the District's service area to reduce fuel loads, improve fire resiliency, and protect critical water infrastructure serving over 200,000 residents. The project builds on a 2024 aboveground infrastructure fire hardening assessment conducted in collaboration with the Marin Wildfire Prevention Authority (MWPA), which identified deficiencies and opportunities to improve wildfire preparedness around pump stations.

Work would occur within Defensible Space Zones 0 and 1, extending up to 30 feet from structures or the nearest property line, and would include thinning vegetation, removing debris piles, reducing ladder fuels, and clearing vegetation using manual and mechanical methods. The project is intended to reduce wildfire intensity near facilities, improve defensibility, and support emergency access and fire suppression activities during wildfire events.

Public Agency Approving Project: Marin Municipal Water District

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Marin Municipal Water District (Marin Water)

CEQA Exemption Status: Categorical Exemption Section

Reason for Exemption: The project qualifies for exemption from CEQA pursuant to Public Resources Code Section 21080.49 and CEQA Guidelines Sections 15301 (Existing Facilities) and 15304 (Minor Alterations to Land), as the work consists of defensible space and vegetation management activities associated with existing facilities and minor alterations to vegetation with no expansion of use or impact to scenic trees.

Project Approval: N/A

Lead Agency Contact Person: Alex Anaya, Marin Municipal Water District

Telephone: (415) 945-1588

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Alex Anaya", written over a horizontal line.

6/5/2026

Alex Anaya, Director of Engineering

Date

POSTED 6/5/26 TO 7/5/26



MARIN MUNICIPAL WATER DISTRICT
220 NELLEN AVENUE
CORTE MADERA, CA 94925-1169

VENDOR NAME	CHECK NUMBER	CHECK DATE
MARIN COUNTY CLERK	1120867	06/04/2026

INVOICE NUMBER	INVOICE DATE	INVOICE AMOUNT	DISCOUNT	NET PAID
052626	05/26/2026	50.00	0.00	50.00
Assessor-Recorder-Co. Clerk County of Marin SHELLY SCOTT Assessor-Recorder-Co. Clerk				
1 FISH/GAME EXEMPTION		50.00		
Total Charges		50.00		
CHECK 1120867		50.00		
Total Tendered		50.00		
Change		.00		
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TOTALS		50.00	0.00	50.00



Requested By Public